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Ultimate High School All-Star Game: Massachusetts Green 15 Massachusetts Blue 8

Somerville, MA

In front of an enthusiastic 100+ person crowd on an 86 degree afternoon at Dilboy Stadium, multiple Massachusetts Green stars dominated play. Masconomet's Kevin McAllister intercepted four passes, threw several goals, caught a couple goals and made the big Green offensive machine flow smoothly. Concord-Carlisle's Kira Lou caught four goals and the BU Academy's Michaela Meister caught five. Holliston's Nick Trotin made four crowd-pleasing big grabs. The game featured star players from 21 of the 85 Boston Ultimate Disc Alliance (BUDA) Massachusetts High School league teams.

The Green took the first half 8-5 behind a McAllister interception and 45 yard huck to Lou, a 45 yard backhand from the Commonwealth School's Jason Milan to Meister, and a huge layout grab in the endzone from Trotin, just beating a diving bid from Phillips Academy star Duncan Crystal. Div II Champ Sharon's Ben Yudysky connected on a couple throws for goals to Sam Therrien of St. John's Prep to pull the Blue Squad within two at 6-4. However, Andover's Dillon Esdale, McAllister, and Trotin countered with some fine passing to take the three goal halftime lead.

Down 9-5 after Trotin hauled in a big huck in traffic from Lincoln-Sudbury's Tate Tabtieng and then finished with a short throw to Lou, the Blue squad went on a mini-run to get within 9-7 as Needham star Manit Munshi denied a huck to the end zone, then sprinted the full field to catch a long pass which led to an easy goal. However, Trotin connected with Lou and Milan launched a 60 yard forehand flick to Meister for a 12-7 lead. On the next point, Concord-Carlisle's Pat Zimmerman sprinted the field to block the first pass, leading to another quick score to Meister. The Blue squad switched to a zone defense, but their offense couldn't get untracked. After McAllister's fourth interception, and a couple quick passes to Milan, McAllister found Meister open again for the 15-8 win. This fall, Meister will be heading to Stanford, McAllister to Utica, Trotin to Florida Institute of Technology, and Lou to Emory. Milan will be a high school senior. Five of the other All-Stars, including Munshi and Zimmerman, will be heading to U. Mass-Amherst in the fall.

Keeping with Ultimate Frisbee's core concept of "Spirit of the Game," the behavior of the players was very sportsmanlike, setting a positive example for the young fans. Thanks goes out to generous sponsors Breakmark, go2 Media, Five Ultimate, Discovering the World, Discraft, and the UltimateDiscStore.com. Breakmark kindly donated all the player uniforms. Detailed information is at TheUltimateShowcase.com.

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